

SEVERAL
ARRESTED

And Most of Them Give Bond So as to Keep Out of Jail for Little While.

Famous Grave Robbery Case

In Which White Physicians and Black Physicians Seem to Figure in an Equally Important Degree. Two are Yet at Large.

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., OCT. 28.—RELLS ALLEGED GANG OF GRAVE ROBBERS. THE ONLY INDICTED PERSONS YET AT LARGE ARE DR. BYRKITT, OF CASTLETON, AND JAS. HARVEY, COLORED. DR. BYRKITT TODAY NOTIFIED SHERIFF SAULCH, THAT HE WOULD COME TO THE CITY AT ONCE AND FURNISH BOND.

PHYSICIAN
DIED TODAY

From Result of Eating Food Prepared by Cook Who was Sick.

serious Results Which Followed from an Attempt at Economy. Five Doctors and Three Nurses Made Sick.

Philadelphia, Pa., Oct. 28.—Dr. Dan Hughes, one of the most noted physicians in the country, and the chief physician of the Philadelphia Hospital and Almshouse, died today of consumption, the direct result, it is claimed, of eating food prepared by a cook with tuberculosis. Cook was a patient pressed into service for the sake of economy. It is charged that five other physicians and three nurses caught consumption, the same way and that one of the nurses died.

GRAY HAIR "BOYS"
OF THE CONFEDERACY

Exchange Greetings Once More Before the Last Call Comes.

Columbus, Ga., Oct. 28.—This city is with flags and bunting in honor of confederate veterans of Georgia. The fourth annual state reunion is in progress. The gathering was formally opened at 10 o'clock this morning by a large attendance of veterans and their friends. The visitors were welcomed by L. C. Levy, speaking for local societies, and by Captain Peer, on behalf of the Sons of Veterans. To these addresses response for the visitors was made by General C. A. Evans, division commander. The remainder of the opening session was taken up with reports, committee appointments and other routine business, interspersed with selections of music. This afternoon was given over to brigade meetings and reunions of various companies and regiments. Tomorrow will take place the annual parade, which promises to be of more than ordinary interest owing to the large number of participants.

BUSTING OF A
SCHOOL BOARD

ay Practically Wipe Out the School Laws of This State.

Supreme Court of Ohio This Morning Rendered a Judgment Which Undoes Some of the Work of the Last Brilliant Legislature.

Columbus, O., Oct. 28.—The supreme court this morning rendered a judgment busting the Spellmire board of education and abolishing the special district on the Hamilton and county line, which the legislature last winter attempted to create by special law. The case will be reported. The report will show the law to be unconstitutional and it is expected that the opinion will lay down a doctrine, the application of which would wipe out practically the school laws of the state.

Move Back Into the White House.

Washington, Oct. 28.—President Roosevelt will move back into the White House next week. The rooms of the remodeled living room of the second story are now ready for occupancy, and the range is ready for the chef in the kitchen.

ANNIVERSARY

Of Venezuela's Independence Observed Today.

Caracas, Oct. 28.—Today was Venezuela's independence day, the anniversary of the birth of Simon Bolivar. Owing to the disturbed political condition the celebration was less general than has been the custom, about the only observance in the capital being the decoration of the famous liberator's tomb.

Live Stock Market.

East Liberty, Oct. 28.—Cattle light, steady; hogs 15 double decks, active; sheep light, slow.

DUCK HUNTER

Accidentally Shot Down by a Friend.

The Murderer, Crazed by the Misfortune, Attempts to Commit Suicide.

Lancaster, O., Oct. 28.—While duck shooting this morning at Lakeside, Clarence Loomis, in attempting to shoot a duck, discharged the load of his shotgun into the breast of his friend, Lafayette Hull, aged 35, at close range. Hull lived about two minutes. Both men live in Columbus and are prominent in a steel plant there. Loomis is wild with grief and it required the efforts of several men to restrain him from harming himself.

Chicago Stock Market.

Chicago, Oct. 28.—Cattle 7,000, steady to strong; hogs 29,000, 5c and 10c lower; sheep 28,000, steady to 15c higher.

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Grain and Pork.

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 28.—Closing Dec. wheat, 73 1/2; corn 30c; oats 30 1/2; pork 15 65.

CELEBRATION

Of Mitchell Day Will Lay Off the Miners.

Wilkes-Barre, Oct. 28.—Tomorrow is Mitchell Day and the miners will celebrate by quitting work. The mine operators will use this to show that mine workers cannot be relied on to work steadily even when they have a chance and the public needs coal.

NEWSPAPER MAN

Has Been Appointed Provincial Governor.

Washington, Oct. 28.—Word was received here today that the Philippine commission had appointed Wm. Dinnidie, an American newspaper man, governor of Isabella province. Mr. Dinnidie went to the Philippines in 1898, as correspondent for the New York Herald and a number of magazines. Isabella province is the largest and one of the richest in Luzon.

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FOND MAMMAS

Meet to Talk Over All of Baby's Necessities.

New York, Oct. 28.—In the interests of the Universal Baby several hundred women gathered today in the hall of education on the occasion of the opening of the state Congress of Mothers. The congress purposes to spend three days discussing baby's necessities, from requisite spiritual discipline to his proper food and physical education.

BIGAMY

Is the Charge Against Former Toledo Business Man.

Toledo, Oct. 28.—Oscar J. Leshar, formerly a well known business man here, is under arrest at Baltimore, on a charge of bigamy returned by the Lucas county grand jury. He married wife No. 1 in Berks county, Pennsylvania, in 1889, No. 2 was Orpha Liscumb, of Toledo, whom he married in 1898.

HALF MILLION

Already Raised for the McKinley Monument.

Cleveland, Oct. 28.—Ryerson Reitchie, treasurer of the McKinley memorial fund, says the committee now has over a half million in hand but their work will not begin till an endowment fund approaching \$1,000,000 has been secured.

BIG VERDICT

Given Victor Herbert Against Musical Concern.

New York, Oct. 28.—Victor Herbert, the musician in his case against the "Musical Courier," which called his operas "Stone Dead Agglomeration of Puerile Piracy" and stated that he had never written an original strain in his life, secured a verdict today of \$15,000 damages for his wounded feelings and mental anguish.

BRENNAN

Brought Back from St. Louis by Chief Mills.

Mother of the Prisoner Came With Them and Will Remain Here Until the Case is Tried.

Chief Mills returned from St. Louis last night bringing with him the young prisoner, Martin Brennan, who is under indictment in this county for stealing wool at the Bird farm near West Cairo. Brennan's home is in St. Louis and his mother accompanied him and the officer to this city. She believes that the young man is innocent and will remain here until his trial is over.

Chief Mills had his hands full keeping watch over the prisoner and, at the same time looking after the comforts of the mother while they were enroute and he feels gratified at having landed the prisoner safely in the county jail in this city.

TWO YEARS

ARE ENOUGH

For Americans to Stay at One Time in the Philippines.

General Heywood Has Made a Report in Which He Sharply Defines His Policy as to Term of Service.

Washington, Oct. 28.—Gen. Charles Heywood, commandant of the U. S. Marine Corps, in his annual report to the secretary of the Navy, says that it is better to keep officers and men of the command in the Philippines for two years and a half, returning them after such service, to this country. He hopes to reduce the term of service to two years, that being as long as it is advisable to keep them in that climate. During the past year, while there have been practically no demonstrations in the Philippines by organized insurgents, the marines have done excellent work in holding the island of Luzon.

OHIO FIELD HOLDING UP.

No Great Decrease from Last Month is Expected by Operators.

Wood County Comes to the Front With a Well Which Started Off at the Rate of 150 Barrels Per Day. Ohio Oil News.

The Buckeye field is holding to its record for activity and it is unlikely that any great decrease will be shown this month in comparison with the returns for September. There are several portions of the field where considerable new work is under way and taken as a whole gratifying progress is being made in development work. The last week has not revealed anything new and with the exception of the Ohio Oil company's extra large producer in Van Wert county has been noted to little out of the ordinary.

There is a pretty lively district in Marion township of Allen county where the Ohio has a good well in its no 2 on the J. G. Bremerman farm section 16 the first day's production having been 90 bbls. David D Morris trustee has another good one in his No 2 on the H. Good farm section 11 the production at the start being 75 bbls. Marx Bros & Whipple got a 40-barreler at No 7 on the S. S. Strayer section 21 Amanda township and in section 18 of Marion, the Shawnee Oil Co. & Co's test on the A. M. Patrick farm was good for 40 bbls.

SMALL WELLS

But the Number Helps to Make a Good Total

Van Wert county's late computations have been small wells the best of a bunch of new ones being the Landek oil company's No 4 on the Henry Clark farm section 26 Park township which produced 15 bbls the first 24 hours. In the same section the East Ohio company's No 1 J. S. Jones started at 15 bbls.

In Jennings, township Graham & Warner completed their No 6 on the James M. Hunter farm section 6 with an original output of 15 bbls.

The Ohio Oil company's No 4 on the Thomas Pollock farm in section 36 of Ridge township proved to be a cluster. In section 4 R. C. Gillespie has a cluster in his No 3 on the E. Shallow farm.

In Union township of Mercer county, McMillen & Co completed No 1 on the L. W. Price farm section 13 with a 40-bbl producer as the result.

A number of wells have been completed in the Black Creek township district but they are small as a rule, the only one of more than ordinary capacity being the Sun Oil company's No 6 on the R. R. Morrison farm in section 31 which produced 60 bbls the first day. In section 22, Jack McCray finished up his No 1 on the Walter Morriar farm and has a very light well, getting only 3 bbls at the start.

The Ohio Oil company has four new ones in Black Creek township but all are in the horseplay class. No 8 on the S. S. Wick farm section 19 was a big gasser, being reported worth 1,000,000 feet per day. No 1 on the A. M. Foreman farm section 30 was light, doing 3 bbls of oil the first 24 hours. No 7 G. W. Fisher

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TO THE NORTH

Fifty Barrels Seems to be About the Limit

The Miami Stone company completed No 6 well on its fee land in section 32 of Waterville township Lucas county with a 50 barrel producer as the result. Krauser Bros have one of similar calibre in their No 1 on the J. C. Maser farm in section 9 of Oregon township.

In Sandusky county the Massachusetts Oil company's No 11 on the W. Stahl farm in section 33 of Scott township was good for 25 bbls at the start.

Hartman Bros & Sparks have a 20-barreler in their No 5 H. F. Klaus in section 2 Woodville township.

In Benton township of Ottawa county M. T. Holcomb & Co encountered a dry streak at their No 1 on the A. Pfleider farm section 33.

The same operators have a 10 bbl well in No 7 on the Jacob Fisher farm section 4 of Benton township.

A 10 bbl well was the result of Emerine Parkhurst & Emerine's operations at No 17 on the A. Tuttle farm in section 9 of Jackson town ship Seneca county.

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Books to be presented J. M. O'CONNOR President

12:21

Out of Death's Jaws.

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RECITAL

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WOOD COUNTY

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The following invitation received by friends of the parties mentioned therein, is self explanatory.

You are cordially invited to at tend a song recital by Miss Gertrude Rott, Miss Clara L. Foy and M. Marion Matteson pupils of Mr. Geo. P. Lull at his studio 319 west High street Lima, Ohio on Tuesday evening October 28th 1902 at eight o'clock. Mr. Walton E. Clark accompanist.

Program

Fear Not Ye, Israel

A Dream

The Light of the World

The Alpine Rose

All Hope is Fled

Astrophe

Calm as the Night

Forgotten

The Rose

Be Glad O Ye Righteous

Hosmer

BRONCHITIS FOR TWENTY YEARS

Mrs. Minerva Smith, of Danville, Ill., writes: "I had bronchitis for twenty years and never got relief un til I used Foley's Honey and Tar which is a sure cure."

H. F. Vortkamp, cor. Main and North streets.

FAIR ONES

Are Struck Abundantly in the Hancock County Field

Surprised by Friends

Miss Bessie M. Patterson of 601 north Union street, was taken by sur

prise by a few of her young friends on

Saturday evening in remembrance of

her fifteenth birthday anniversary.

Games were played during the even

ing after which a tempting lunch

was served. Miss Bessie received

several beautiful presents

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New Orchestra.

Two musicians constituting the

Buffalo Harp Orchestra, have made

this city their headquarters. They are

located at 137 west Spring street

good for 20 bbls.

In Eagle township Price & Wall completed No 1 on the A. Reel farm, section 25 and have a very light

pumper the first day's output being

only 5 bbls. The Adams & Barber

Brothers' No 7 Mary Powell, in

section 7 was a 30 bbl well.

J. W. Kirkbride encountered salt

water at No 4 on the Norris heirs

farm in section 3 Marion township.

In Liberty township E. V. Wyman

Brooks' No 12 in section 3 started

at 45 bbls and Almy & Thomas' No

19 W. J. Trout same section was

good for 30. The Ohio Oil company

Your Liver

Will be helped to its natural form and your difficulties headache and constipation be cured if you take

Hood's PMS

Sold by all druggists. 25 cents.

has two new wells in this township, No. 16, Wm. Cusack doing 30 barrels while No. 18 J. H. Grubb started at 18 bbls.

D. B. Cratty & Co. have a 40-barreler in their No. 9 on the Wm. Moorehead farm, in section 27 of Portage township.

He Learned a Great Truth.

It is said of John Wesley that he once said to Mistress Wesley: "Why do you tell that child the same thing over and over again?" "John Wesley, because once telling is not enough." It is for this same reason that you are told again and again that Chamberlain's Cough Remedy cures colds and grip, that it counteracts any tendency of these diseases to result in pneumonia, and that it is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by Wm. M. Melville, old post office corner

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Unique and novel pantomimes
Liberate and effective traits
The beautiful bow! hing
in Beaux Belles in their captiva-
tion and Mosher Intrepid bicy-
The favorite Carrie Behr
uman stories and character

ight of Hilarious Laugh-
ter and Amusement.

—Boxes and lower floor \$1.00.
75¢ and 50¢, gallery 25 cents.
on sale Monday 9 a.m.

CUPID

Gained One More
Victory
In South Lima.

Another New Business
Block

Will be Erected on South
Main Street by Nelson
Shook.

The Daily Account of Occurrences
in a General and Personal
Way in This
Locality.

It's home on south Elizabeth
street. Yesterday evening about eight
o'clock, Rev W J Hagerman pastor
of Grace M E church officiated at
the wedding of Mr Vernon E Bussert
to Miss Bessie Hansel. Both are esti-
mable young persons residing on
Second street. The groom is a well
known employee of the Lake Erie and
Western railroad company. The
bride is also popular with a wide
circle of friends. For the present
the couple will reside with the bride's
parents on Second street. The best
wishes of many friends will attend
them through life.

A Rumor
There is a persistent rumor ap-
pearing to be well founded that says
that tomorrow evening a well known
young lady residing on east Kirby
street and a popular railroad employee
will be united in wedlock.

Card Party
Mrs Ruthell Laughlin pleasantly
entertained friends at her home on
St John's avenue yesterday evening
with a Pedro party. After the game
dainty refreshments were served.

Society Meeting
Members of the Won 115 Foreign
Missionary society of Grace church
met this afternoon at the home of
Mrs W J Hagerman on south Eliz-
abeth street. After the transaction of
business a social session was enjoyed.
Mrs Hagerman was pronounced a
fitting hostess.

Going South
Mr and Mrs G Mertz of St Johns
are being entertained at L. V. Con-
nors on Broadway. Mr Mertz has
disposed of his farm, intending to
leave shortly for Virginia where
he will remain during the winter.

Convention Adjourned
The sixtieth annual convention
of the Northwestern Ohio Christian
conference concluded its deliberations
at Lafayette Sunday. The meeting
was one of the most interesting and
successful in years. Delegates pres-
ent represented fifty three churches
in the district. A number of able
speakers addressed the convention
upon topics of interest in different de-
partments of church work. Rev G B
Garner of Harrison avenue was
one of the speakers his subject being
The Progressive Glory of the
Church. The next annual conven-
tion will be held at the Beryk Chris-
tian church.

Will Build
Nelson Shook, one of the prominent
business men of south Main
street will soon have work begin up-
on a large, handsome and modern
brick business block which he will
erect upon his lot just south of the
new McComb block. The first floor
will be constructed with a special
view to accommodating his large
laundry plant which will be removed
from its present location into the
new quarters, which will have all the
requisites for such an establishment.
The second floor will be occupied by
elegant flats. It is Mr Shook's in-
tention to make the new building one
of the most imposing in that locality.

Armory Remodeling
Work of remodeling the armory on
south Main street has begun. Hard
wood floors will be laid, the old stairs
entirely removed and the brick hall
generally improved. Balconies with a
large seating capacity will be built on
either side of the hall. Separate
stairways for the officers of the two
companies will be established and
equipped. The military companies
will be improved in appearance by a
large amount of elegant furniture.
When all improvements are com-
pleted the militia of this city can
boast of one of the prettiest homes in
this section of the state.

Young Johnson
had left home to
visit friends living near Ada and was
on his way to their homes when he
stepped from in front of a car and
before another.

America's Famous Balsies
Look with horror on skin eruptions,
blotches, sores, pimples. They don't
take them, nor will any one who uses
Quinton's Arnica Salve. Glorifies
the face. Eczema or skin rheum-
atism before it. It cures sore lips,
chapped hands, chilblains, infallible
for piles 25¢ at H F Vorkamp's
drug store.

A good many town men date near-
ly all of Saturday to wait to get
shaved.

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The Best Tea Beverage
Says the
Signature
of
C. H. Shook.



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Canal for
Farm Purposes

For Period of Fifteen
Years or Longer.

The Canal Has Been Aban-
doned and was Leased
for a Railway,

But the Road was Never Built,
Although the Lessees Held to
Their Bit of State
Domain.

Columbus, O Oct 28.—(Special)—
Preparations are in progress for the
formal installation of Rev W M
Carry of Linessville Pa the new pas-
tor of the south Main street Presby-
terian church. The date of the im-
portant function has not yet been
definitely decided but the event will
occur in the near future. The affair
will be an interesting one participated
in by a number of prominent minis-
ters of the church from surrounding

cities.

Pencil Sketches of People.
Mrs Freeman Reed and Mrs Wil-
liam Napier returned yesterday from
a month's visit with friends in Penn-
sylvania.

Frank Cochran of Elgin is the
guest of John Abbott.

Sherman Martin and wife who
have been visiting relatives here re-
turned to their home at Spencerville.

Mrs W E Slater of St Johns av-
ernt went to Ada today to visit her
parents.

Miss Frances Herbert, of west Vine
street is spending this week with
friends at Celina.

B F Miller and wife of Upper Sun-
bury are being entertained at the
home of T E Mungardner on west
Kirby street.

Edward Schaffer of south Main
street is host to J H Schaffer of
Pleasant Hill.

Kosciusko Russell and wife of Mr
Pheron avenue returned yesterday

from a week's visit with relatives at
Hudson.

J J Watkins has returned to his
home at Huntington Ind after a few
days spent with local friends.

Mrs Charles Aubrey of St Johns
avenue will spend this week with rel-
atives in Ada.

Mrs M A Smith of south Pine
street is home from a week's stay
with her parents at Kenton.

Gained Forty Pounds in Thirty Days

For several months our younger
brother had been troubled with indi-
gestion. He tried several remedies
but got no benefit from them. We
purchased some of Chamberlain's
Stomach and Liver Tablets and he
commenced taking them. Inside of
thirty days he had gained forty pounds
in flesh. He is now fully recovered.

We have a good trade on the Tablets
—Holley Bros merchants Long
Branch Mo. For sale by W M
Melville, old post office corner.

REMAINS

Of Man Killed at Ada are
Identified.

Word was received here this morn-
ing, says the Kenton Republican that
the body of the man who was killed
at Ada last week, by being struck by
a Pennsylvania passenger train, had
been identified. He was Hoadie
Johnson of Pleasant township. He
was nineteen years of age.

Identification was made by James
Johnson, brother of the dead man
who suspected that the victim of the
accident might be his brother and
went to Ada and viewed the body.

Young Johnson had left home to
visit friends living near Ada and was
on his way to their homes when he
stepped from in front of a car and
before another.

America's Famous Balsies
Look with horror on skin eruptions,
blotches, sores, pimples. They don't
take them, nor will any one who uses
Quinton's Arnica Salve. Glorifies
the face. Eczema or skin rheum-
atism before it. It cures sore lips,
chapped hands, chilblains, infallible
for piles 25¢ at H F Vorkamp's
drug store.

A good many town men date near-
ly all of Saturday to wait to get
shaved.

CASTORIA.
The Best Tea Beverage
Says the
Signature
of
C. H. Shook.

As Old Age Creeps On

Men and Women Can Keep
Themselves Hale, Vigor-
ous and Happy by
Using

Paine's Celery
Compound

The human system in old age must
have a sufficient store of nervous
energy and rich, nourishing blood, so
that the liver and kidneys may be
kept in perfect action, and the body
free from pain. Paine's Celery com-
pound is the true invigorator. When
old age creeps on and the vital powers
commence to fail, Paine's Celery Com-
pound gives the needed stimulus to
digestion and assimilation that the
system requires, it maintains a
regular supply of pure blood, and re-
moves such troubles as rheumatism,
neuritis, nervous weakness, heart
palpitation, liver complaint, and diges-
tive disturbances that make the lives
of old people miserable. Rev John
Rice Scotch Grove, Iowa says—

My wife and I have used two bot-
tles of Paine's Celery Compound with
great advantage to our general health.
It cured her rheumatism and proved
a good regulator of the system in gen-
eral and a tonic for the nerves. In
my own case I have found it a cure
for kidney trouble arising from old
age as I am now in my 75th year.
In this trouble it has given me almost
instant relief.

Do not throw away old clothes. Make
them look like new with
DIAMOND DYES.

Direction book and 45 dyed samples
free.

DIAMOND DYES, Burlington, Vt.

SITUATION

Not So Bad as at First
Rumored.

This Rolling Mill at Findlay is to
be Reorganized and Started
Again.

It is learned on reliable authority
that the Findlay Republican that a
project is on foot for the reorganiza-
tion of the Ohio rolling mill under new
management and with increased facili-
ties. Since the bankruptcy proceed-
ings have been begun and the credit-
ors have had an opportunity to dis-
cover the real situation, it is found
that the liabilities are not nearly so
large as at first reported and that
several of the interested parties have
renounced the plan of reorganizing
the mill along new lines and with new
capital and starting it up again as
soon as the necessary arrangements
can be made. The mill has been one
of the biggest industrial plants of the
city and it is to be earnestly hoped
that the plans projected may be con-
summated and that the mill may be
continued. The mill has enjoyed a
splendid business from the start and it
is believed that with a sufficient
amount of working capital to allow its
operation and on a more economical
basis it can be made a profitable in-
stitution.

Another Corporation Paid Its Tax.

The American Steel Company of
St Louis Mo paid a foreign corpora-
tion fee into the secretary of state's
office yesterday of \$1,666.67. This
raises the total amount of fees under
the Willis law paid by foreign corpora-
tions to \$160,000. They should all
have been paid in September, but it
is probable that the secretary of
state will not close the receipt of fees
until the end of November.

There are companies representing
many thousand dollars in fees that
have not yet paid in.

AT HOME

In Jail and Ben is Not
Worrying.

Many people wonder just what is
going to be done with Ben Wade who
has been in jail since last spring says
the Toledo Times, when he was in-
dicted with his brother Al and their
pal Ben Landis, on account of the
Sullivan murder. They were indicted
not because the state thought they
could be convicted at that time, but
more to hold them until convicting
evidence had been unearthed. Noth-
ing has been said as to trial yet and
there is a question as to just how long
a man can be held in jail before trial.

Wade does not seem to be kicking
however, for he has been in jail so
much that it is just second nature to
him. He spends his time making
handy little articles such as are made
in penitentiaries and very clever he
is, too, disposing of many things to
visitors. It is probable that he could
be released on habeas corpus proceedings,
because the grand jury that con-
victed him was not a legally constitu-
ted body, but he doubtless realizes
that if released he would only be re-
arrested again.

W J SCHAFER, Capt.

DANGER IN FALL COLDS.

Fall colds are liable to hang on all
winter, leaving the seeds of pneumo-
nia, bronchitis or consumption.

Foley's Honey and Far cures quickly
and prevents serious results. It is old
and reliable tried and tested, safe and
sure. Contains no opium and will
not constipate.

H F Vorkamp, cor Main and
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MAKES HOME BAKING BETTER AND HOME BAKED
FOOD SUPERIOR TO ANY BAKER'S.
"Cakes, muffins, etc., in which Chubert's Baking Powder is used will
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The Weather

Washington, Oct. 28.—Orient, fair to
night and Wednesday; cooler tonight
in northeast portion; warmer Wednes-
day.

DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Secretary of State,
REV. H. S. BIGELOW,
Of Hamilton County.

For Supreme Judge,
MICHAEL DONNELLY,
Of Henry County.

For Member of Board of Public Works,
JOSEPH K. PATER,
Of Butler County.

For Dairy and Food Commissioner,
PHILIP H. BRUCK,
Of Franklin County.

For Member of Congress,
HARVEY GARBER,
Of Darke County.

For Circuit Judge,
CALVIN H. NORRIS,
Of Marion County.

For County Auditor,
GEORGE FELTZ.

For Clerk of the Courts,
C. A. GRAHAM.

For Probate Judge,
A. D. MILLER.

For Prosecuting Attorney,
Wm. KLEINER.

For County Recorder,
P. T. MILLER.

For County Commissioner,
WILLIAM J. JUDKINS.

For Infirmary Director,
DAVID STEPLTON.

The unreliability of the Lima
Gazette is again strikingly illustrated
this morning in its article concerning
Harvey Garber, in which the state-
ment was made that that gentleman
was in Lima yesterday, and became
involved in an altercation with some
people. The fact is Harvey Garber
was not near Lima yesterday, neither
has he been here since the Tom L.
Johnson meeting. Yet there is just
as much credence to be placed in
the untrue about Garber as in the
paragraphs that appear in the same
columns about any other Democratic
candidate. In each instance the para-
graphs are untrue and utterly without
foundation in fact.

THE "BOARD PLAN" IN OHIO CODE.

Intelligent comment on the details
of the municipal code bill, which has
been completed and will go before the
Ohio legislature on Tuesday, is im-
possible until the full draft of the
measure is published.

One feature of the bill, however,
has been so clearly outlined as to
justify the assertion that its adoption
by the legislature will mean a half-
ward step for the more or less in the
matter of municipal government. It
is likely campaign there, and Mark and
his lieutenants have fought hard, yet
the measure is published.

THE "BOARD PLAN" IN OHIO
CODE.

Mark Hanna is now posing as a
prophet. He says Ohio will go Re-
publican and predicts that the Hon.
Underwear Jackson will defeat Dr.
Norton in the Thirtieth.

Uncle Mark is jollying the boys a
little. Dr. Norton's majority will be
increased. Jackson is a joke and not
even the members of his own party
take him seriously.

But in his forecasting Uncle Mark
fails to mention Darke county
where he lives. There has been a
lively campaign there, and Mark and
his lieutenants have fought hard, yet
it is significant—TOMORROW.

THE LIMA DAILY DEMOCRAT

The editor in his paper, the
Republican manager through the
small papers and the columns of the
political press to induce Democrats to
vote for Republicans and change office
this fall. The editor who goes to tell
the Democrats of Allen county
well know that not one of the Hall-
Ashton-Verger-Gazette combination
would be a member of the pay
circumstances, and that there is no
reason why they themselves should
regard the invitation put forth by these
Republican bosses to help boost any
of their associates into public position.

There are no better men in Allen
county than those whom the Democ-
rats have placed in nomination this
year, and they are entitled to and will
receive the full party vote. The Democ-
rats are not to be deluded by the
vapors of the Hall-Ashton gang,
who are endeavoring to use them to
help build up the Republican machine.

AN IMPORTANT ELECTION.

In view of the many important public
questions now demanding attention
from the people of this nation, a
victory in Ohio means much for the
great national struggle of 1904. The
aggression of the trusts and combinations
upon the rights of the common
people is approaching a point which is
causing thoughtful people in all sections
of the union the greatest alarm,
and a continuation of the present conditions
can only result in serious if
not disastrous ending to the best interests
of the people.

The contest between great corpora-
tions and labor, just ended in Penn-
sylvania, is an evidence to which cor-
poration power and greed may be car-
ried. To be sure labor, to a certain
extent triumphed, but peace was only
brought about by the strong public
sentiment of the people. Conditions
were such that the people of the
country were forced to recognize the
justice of the anti-trust miners' demands.

There is no reason to doubt that other labor troubles will occur
in other branches of business within
the next few years, and a greater
struggle between capital and labor
will be the result. Why not minimize
the coming contention by the election
of men to law-making bodies who will
enact laws curbing the power of these
corporations? Never in the history
of this country or any other, have
such immense fortunes been accumu-
lated as within the past few years. It
is unreasonable to suppose the man or
corporation which reaps the rewards
of the present system of tariff tax-
ation will willingly submit to a
change, but the people must do so
regardless of their alleged interests or
claims. The ballot box is the place
to correct public wrongs and the Democ-
ratic party is the medium by
which it can be accomplished. It be-
hooves every Democrat to bestir himself.
There is no reason why he
should wait until some future election
to do so. This year, 1902, is an
excellent time to commence the patri-
otic work. Bad laws and mischievous
legislation are the outcome of in-
difference on the part of the people at
the polls. Every Democrat and lover
of good government has a solemn
duty to perform and it ought not to be
necessary to admonish him to do it.
Let the work begin Tuesday, Nov. 4,
by casting an unscratched Democratic
ticket.

ATTENTION A. O. H.

There will be a meeting of Division
No. 1 A. O. H. this evening at 7:30
o'clock, in the Duffield block. A full
attendance is required.

OYSTER SUPPER.

The choir of Calvary Reformed
church will give an oyster supper and
social Thursday evening, October 26,
at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. W.
Armstrong, 316 north Pine street. A
cordial invitation is extended to all.
Price 15 cents.

OHIO'S TOTAL VOTE.

Based upon the most thorough, com-
plete and reliable reports just re-
ceived from every one of the 328
voting precincts in Ohio, we have
prepared a tabulated estimate of the
total vote that will be cast by
counties next Tuesday, and they will be
furnished on receipt of \$1. Address
Newspaper Correspondents' Bureau,
Columbus, Ohio.

She is a fine girl, quite brilliant I
hear. I understand she has just com-
pleted a course of Rocky Mountain
Tea. That accounts for her brilliancy.

For sale by H. F. Vorkamp, corner
North and Main streets.

Townsend wholesale oysters.

Constipation and piles are twins.
They kill people inch by inch. Ban-
ish away every day. Rocky Moun-
tain Tea will positively cure you. 25c.

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A Few Turns

On the Mat and with Gloves and Fists.

Together with a Fast and Furious Basket Ball Game Wednesday Evening.

An Entertainment Arranged for which the Public is Cordially Invited Free of Charge.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—One alligator is eight years old, measuring three feet and two inches in length. No care through the winter. Call on Mrs. Curtis, 216 east Spring street. 11-31

FOR SALE—Refrigerator, range and broiler. All in good condition at Hotel Norval. 11-31

LOST.

LOST—Sunburst brooch mounted with pearls and diamond in the center. Was lost between Lutheran church and Confer office or on north side of North, between the Cougars of Bee and Henry Delse's residence, 709 west North street. A liberal reward paid for the return of the brooch to Mrs. Henry Delse. 11-31

L. HETRICK FIRE ARMS, SPORTS MEN'S GOODS, AMMUNITION.

I have a large stock of double and single-shot guns of good make, and the world renowned Remington hammerless at the very lowest price; also a lot of shelf-worn and second hand guns, and ammunition. Repairing guns, revolvers, wrenches, umbrellas and locks, key fitting, grinding scissors and razors, filing saws, etc. See

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Faurot Opera House.
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In David Belasco's Original New York Production of

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EXQUISITE FURNISHINGS.

Costumes heavy production, curtain will be flock sharp.

Prices—Box seats and Orchestra \$1.00.

Balcony box, Balcony wall box and gallery box.

Admission halls open Wednesday 8 a.m.

SPECIAL IN MILLINERY.

On Tuesday and Wednesday ONLY, all our Hats ranging in prices from \$5 to \$15 will be sold at

training necessary to prime condition. Wherever you go, the world over, the world is full of little opportunities of money, but the leading roads are not always with us. If the team expects to do the work, there is a moment now to organize with players who can be depended upon, and the season is still young enough for them to make a showing.

Helen C. and Miss Van Liew.

Alex Carson, the well known driver and trainer, has distributed a number of photographs among his friends showing him up behind Helen C. the upcoming three-year-old that has made such a splendid showing so far. A good price has been offered for the handsome mare, but Mr. Carson will doubtless hold her for campaigning next year.

Elizabeth Mack Sold.

Ex-mayor McComb has sold Elizabeth Mack, his 18-year-old granddaughter to Ezra Pierce for a good consideration. She has made a fine showing under the training of Alex Carson, who will still retain possession of her.

OPPOSE

The Granting of a Parole to Mrs. Van Liew.

A number of citizens of Van Wert county are, it is understood, making a strong remonstrance against the proposed pardoning of Mrs. Emma Van Liew, who was sentenced to ten years' imprisonment for having thrown vitriol in the eyes of Alice Hammell, who died from the effects.

The further punishment of Mrs. Van Liew, comments the Delphos Herald, will not help Miss Hammell, yet justice demands that no pardon be granted. The Van Wert public was averse to accepting a ten year sentence and certainly would be averse to a pardon in less than two years of punishment. It is believed that at 90 per cent, of Delphos people who are familiar with the case are not in favor of a pardon.

MEET TOMORROW.

A stated conclave of Shawnee Commandery No. 1 K. T. this evening, at 9 o'clock. Red Cross work. Visitors invited.

R. O. WOODS, E. C.

E. H. JOHNS, Recorder.

MAYOR'S COURT

Two Prisoners Fined for Drunkenness Today.

Fred Granain and James Conway are the names that were given at police headquarters by two prisoners who were arraigned this morning on charges of drunkenness. They pleaded guilty, and were fined \$5 each. John Schick, charged with disorderly conduct, pleaded not guilty and his case was set for hearing tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock.

DEFIANCE WAS EASY.

The high school eleven of Defiance, ran up against a stiff proposition when they met Fostoria Saturday.

Fostoria never gave the opponents the slightest chance of scoring, and rolled up 60 points. Fostoria will easily carry off the Northwestern Ohio championship this season, having easily defeated all comers.

Can They Win?

Lima has the timber for a strong city foot ball team, if the members would get down to the exercise and

TEXT BOOK.

In Mental Arithmetic Was Adopted.

But It Met With Some Opposition.

Janitor Question Finally Settled by the Selection of O. R. Spurrier, at East Building.

Two important matters were transacted at the meeting of the board of education last night, the contention over the election of a janitor at the east building was brought to a close election of O. R. Spurrier, who agrees to keep the building in good condition for \$950 a year, paying out of that amount, for what assistance he will need.

The adoption of a text book on mental arithmetic was another matter which led to the only extended discussion during the evening. Dr. Bates opposed the idea of adopting a text book for this study, and he was supported by Mr. Spyker. The majority of the board, however, favored a text book, and of the eleven members present, 8 voted in favor of the committee's recommendation. During the argument, Supt. Miller made the statement that the book was not an absolute necessity, and its adoption meant the purchase by scholars of at least 1800 copies. But the attitude of Prof. Miller on the question did not bring over enough votes to defeat the measure, and Dubb's mental arithmetic was adopted. Prof. Miller stated that the book was the very best of its kind, and he was pleased to have it in the schools, his only reason for not insisting on its use being the cost it would put the pupils to.

The finance committee recommended the payment of the following bills: Teachers salaries \$1,815.00; Ohio National Bank \$50.00; Trustee-officer and janitor \$60.00; F. E. Wood, \$35.00; Substitute janitor \$5.00.

Treasurer McClain stated to the board that the payment of the bills left a deficiency of \$300, and the board is now left in the extremity of borrowing until the auditor can make the next appointment in January.

A petition asking for the paving of north McDonald street, which the board was asked to sign, was laid on the table until it might be presented signed by the property holders.

Dressed chickens at Townsend's.

SPECIAL SALE OF CHILDREN'S AND MISSES' CLOAKS AT CARROLL & COONEY'S.

On sale at Townsend's.

CITIZEN

Of Unipolis Succumbs to Brain Trouble.

LIMA HIVE NO. 43 WILL MEET.

The ladies of Lima Hive No. 43 will meet at Tolian hall Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock to arrange for the funeral of Lady Anderson. The ladies will meet with Mrs. Dr. Doty Wednesday at one o'clock.

Election returns by special wire, Tuesday evening, Nov. 5th, at Hotel Norval.

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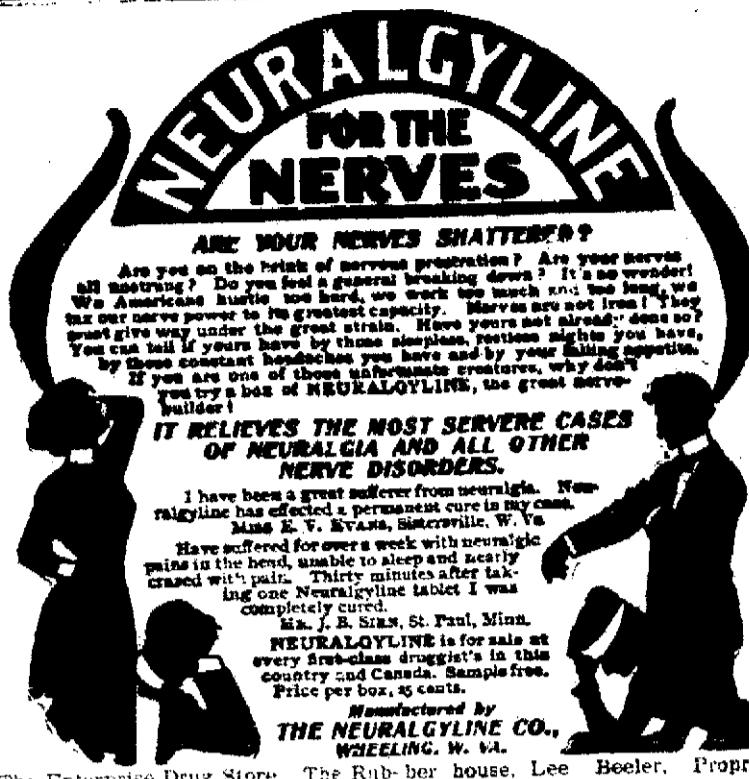
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We Treat and Cure Nervous Debility, Nervous Prostration, Mental Depression, Impotence, Sexual Weakness, Scrofula, Tumors, Rheumatism, Syphilis, Hydrocephalus, Varicocele, Stricture, Pimples, Cataract, Bronchitis, Loss of Appetite, Liver and Kidney Troubles, Constipation, White Swelling, Varicose Veins, etc.

Ladies All diseases peculiar to your sex successfully treated. You may consult us in confidence, no matter what the trouble may be.

Young Men Who suffer from tearful effects of self abuse as to aversion to the society of ladies, despondency, loss of energy, failing memory, nervousness, palpitation of the heart, weak back, stunted development, increasing nervous exhaustion and weird or lascivious dreams. You may be in the first stage, but are fast approaching the last. Do not let false pride or sham modesty prevent you from obtaining relief now.

Middle Aged Men Who suffer from prematurely old, as a result of youthful indiscretions or excess of latter years; who are troubled with too frequent evasions of the bladder, or by finding a milky orropy sediment in the urine, and on account of this natural waste and loss of vitality are unfit for business or marriage. You can positively be restored to manly vigor.

Old Men Who, as a result of overwork, business cares, or impotence in former years, now suffer from partial or complete impotency, or some distressing bladder trouble. All may find immediate relief—many may be radically cured.

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"When they are affected, life is in danger," says Dr. Abernathy, the great English physician. Foleys Kidney Cure makes sound kidneys.

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The Truant and The Shark

By P. Y. BLACK
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HIM! I'd like to see me!" The small boy looked at Master Wat with admiring eyes.

"You chaps can go and be taught by a burgher if you like, but not me."

"Won't your father kick you, Wat?"

"Shut up! He's got no father, and his mother never kicks him."

Wat walked off, with his nose in the air, and just around the corner he ran squarely into the schoolmaster who was to take the place temporarily of the regular teacher, who had broken his leg. Wat shuffled impudently and would have walked past, but Jan de Jough put out a hand to stop him—put it out with diffidence, hesitatingly, almost as an inferior might do.

"It is time for school, Master Thomas," said he.

"I am not going to school today."

"And tomorrow?"

"Not tomorrow."

"May I know why?"

Wat looked to one side and another, rather abashed, and then insolently at the young schoolmaster.

"White men," said he, "should not be taught by—black men."

He ran away and did not see the flush of anger and sorrow that redened De Jough's olive cheeks. The schoolmaster looked after him for a second and then slowly proceeded to open the school.

This happened in Natal, where are many men of different races—English, Dutch descendants, Portuguese, Malays, descendants of the coolies brought in old times from the East Indies as plantation workers, and Kaffirs. So there are many social ranks and grades. Wat was an English boy, brought out to the colony when a baby, and as the English rank highest in the country and never would think of mingling intimately with the other races Wat, being only twelve years old, had a rather exaggerated idea of his own and his people's worth.

Jan de Jough was not a black man, though his skin was dark, like most Italians. He was the descendant of Dutch and Portuguese ancestors, who long ago had owned the country before the Englishmen took it as the spoil of war, just as America today has come into possession of the Philippines.

Mr. de Jough was downhearted. Most of the boys were of English parentage, and if Wat, their leader, rebelled he foresaw a falling off in attendance and the consequent loss of his first position, his first stepping stone. He was right. The boys, small as they were, were impudent and unruly, and Jan dismissed the school depondently.

Meantime Wat, for sufficient reason, did not go straight home. He doubted his reception by his mother might not be altogether cordial and appreciative. It was hot, as it usually is on the coast of the Indian ocean. One advantage the heat brings to the boys is that one can go swimming any day almost all the year round. Wat, wandering along by the surf, soon felt the sun oppressive, and when he came to a cove which he and his chums knew well as a swimming place where the surf did not break too violently he naturally came to the conclusion that a bath would be a good thing to break the lonely monotony of the morning. He was, like most boys in warm countries, a first rate swimmer, and he had no hesitation in plunging into the huge Indian ocean even when quite alone.

He left his clothes on the beach near some rocks without fear of pilfering swimmers, for the cove was some distance from the town and a spot where few ever wandered. He ran in with a dash, paused to catch an incoming breaker just at the right moment before it broke, dived beneath its crest, and round he swam, lazily and unconcernedly enjoying the warmth of the sun near the surface. Wat was unable to withdraw his eyes from it. It fascinated him as a snake does a monkey. Now and then the fish would roll over on its back, and then Wat would bide his eyes, shuddering at the sight of that hideous mouth and those gleaming teeth.

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but only half that distance from the rock on which he stood, lay on a reef the dark shadow of a recent wreck. Wat remembered hearing of a little bark rushing on the reef in a gale a month ago, but school and cricket had prevented his going out to the sea until now. At once he was filled with the desire to explore, and without a moment's hesitation he plunged into the deeper outside waters and swam for the bulk. It did not take him long to cover the 200 or 300 yards to the wreck. When the vessel was wrecked, monotonous waves, driven by a landward gale, had broken over the hull, but now the sea about the dead ship was comparatively quiet, and on the deck Wat had no difficulty in climbing aboard.

Here were new and exhilarating delights of the rarest sort. To explore strange corners, to stand waist-deep now the tide was out—in the skipper's own cabin and, poking about with fingers and toes, unearth strange things, worthless now, but interesting: to peek and pry with an excited heart in the hope that he might light upon a wonderful find—perhaps treasure overlooked, perhaps—At the thought of perhaps seeing something gaudily, although he knew all the crew had been saved, Wat suddenly felt lonely and afraid. He ran quickly up on the broken deck. He was startled to note how long by the sun his walk and his swim and his explorations had taken. Now he felt hungry, and he knew it must be long past time at his mother's house, Tiffen? He looked again at the sun and the shadows of the rocks upon the sea and calculated correctly that it must be 2 o'clock and school would be coming out in an hour.

Wat ran to jump overboard. His foot was on the broken rail, and his hands were raised to dive. In an instant he would have been in the water, when he staggered back, white as flour, shaking at the nearness of his escape. Slowly, with lazy complacency, with hardly a flick of its great tail, there swam beneath the boy most leisurely a great shark. It moved about close to the surface, its dorsal fin sometimes above the water, like a sail, and its cold, cruel, vicious, hungry eyes stared up at the truant. Wat sank down, sick and faint.

He had been foolish, worse than foolish. Time and again he had been warned, with the other boys, about the sharks, which, though they do not actually infest these waters, are by no means rare. The cove was comparatively safe, but beyond it there was always danger. It was the old story of the wolf. "Shark!" had been cried so often to young Wat that he paid no attention to it. Now he was trapped.

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He was like a fish. He reveled and played in the sea like one of its own inhabitants. A home bred boy of a colder climate, used to one or two months' swimming in the summer holidays, would not have believed a twelve-year-old youngster could be so much at ease on the breast of the fathomless ocean. Wat struck out to deep water with a bold, swift side stroke and soon was standing, monarch of all he surveyed, on a great black rock which broke the force of the waves as they strove to dash, with headlong strength, into the quiet cove.

As he stood there, with joyful eyes, facing the ocean defiantly, as his race's eyes have done for centuries and do today, sudden interest increased their wide brightness. A quarter mile out from the beach of the little bay,

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This is a novel idea for use on a
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to the side pieces. If you make the
stocks of cardboard, you must have
the side pieces at least of wood.

Into the top of the highest side piece
screw two little picture rings, from
which must hang four lengths of thin
chain, and a tiny padlock must likewise
have a place. The chains are attached
in their turn to four more tiny
picture rings which are screwed into
the tops of four pencils or pens, which
are put through the four holes drilled
in the front of the stocks.

The chains must be long enough to
permit writing comfortably, and the
whole front is glued on to a wooden
stand on which at each end are fastened
two fairly large lead dress
weights to give it firmness.

This scheme will do away with any
possibility of pencils or pens being
lost, stolen or strayed."

To Avoid Careless Habits.

Many a young girl who gave promise
of being a "joy forever" to her family
and friends has fallen into little
careless habits in her home life while
pursuing her study of accomplishments
that have developed into disagreeable
traits as time rolled on and made her
a very unlovable woman. Not every
one is endowed with the ability to
play, sing or paint well enough to give
pleasure to her friends, but the following
"accomplishments" that never
fail to be found attractive may be
cultivated by all:

Shut the door, and shut it softly.

Keep your own room in tasteful order.

Have an hour for rising, and rise.
Learn to make bread as well as cake.
Never let a button stay off twenty-four
hours.

Always know where your things are.
Never let a day pass without doing
something to make somebody comfortable.

Never come to breakfast without a
collar.

Never go about with your shoes unbuttoned.

Speak clearly enough for everybody
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LOTTERY TICKET

Drew a Prize in the Lottery of \$3750

And Wm. Clark Claims to Have Had an Interest That Was Never Paid.

Village of Cain is Still Tied up in the Courts; a new Claim Being Filed Yesterday Afternoon.

The evidence in the case of Wm. Clark and others vs. Charles S. King, and others, was submitted to the jury by three o'clock this afternoon, at which hour the argument began. The action is one in which Clark, sued for an interest in a lottery ticket which drew \$3750, and it came into court in 1884, since which time it has twice been heard.

Proceedings of Mortgagors... Fred F. Oen, who holds three promissory notes for \$432.25 each against Marion Provo, has brought an action for the foreclosure of the mortgage given as security. The property consists of 40 acres of land in Bell's township.

Adjudged Insane.

Judge Miller found Katie Greenwood insane, but owing to her advanced age, she could not be received at the Toledo asylum, and was sent to the Asylum Sanitarium near Detroit.

Proofs Not Guilty. To the charge of murder in the second degree, John O'Brien, better known as "Red" entered a plea of "not guilty" yesterday when arraigned before Judge Cunningham, and his case was set for trial December second, being the last on the criminal docket for the term. Motter, MacKenzie & Weadock will defend the prisoner.

Couldn't Agree.

The Gingery damage suit against the Hindo-Danesh paper company, of Delphos, fell into the hands of a jury that could not agree and at nine o'clock last night the court concluded that a longer session would not bring about a result other than disagreement.

All day yesterday except during the meat hours, the jury wrestled with the points at issue, but without avail. The case was tried once before and a verdict was rendered in favor of the plaintiff, which the court set aside, thus making a second trial necessary.

Injunction Suit.

Howard Long vs. S. W. and Clara Downing, is the style of an injunction suit filed yesterday, the parties residing at Lafayette. Plaintiff claims to have taken a lease on a livery barn for which he was to pay \$7 per month.

The lease being for one year with the privilege of five more. The lease, it appears, will not stand a legal test.

And the plaintiff wants the defendant enjoined from transferring the lease to others as is now threatened.

The Streets of Cairo.

The enmity arising among factions at West Cairo bids fair to keep the municipal affairs of the village in court for an indefinite period. A. L. Ferguson, whose property is being condemned for the purpose of building an alley, has his hatchet out and seeks to prevent the mayor and council of the village from building the town hall for which the foundation has long been laid.

In two injunction suits filed yesterday by D. C. Henderson, Ferguson asks that the mayor and treasurer be enjoined from paying to Joseph Richards \$250 for furnishing material and constructing the foundation and to W. J. Garner the sum of \$1500 for building the first story. A temporary injunction was granted, which will prevent a further move toward building the hall until the case is heard on its merits.

Final Report.

James J. Weadock, attorney of Geo. T. Houston, filed his final account in probate court today, showing a distribution of \$2663.47 to the creditors. The estate paid about 23 cents on the dollar.

Marriage Licenses.

Albert W. Stock, 21, telegraph operator and Jeanne May Margaret, 24, both of Lima.

Real Estate Transfers.

Morrison Palmer to James D. Palmer, 16 acres in South township, \$2400.

Robert M. Fair to Wm. M. Higgin, 24, acre in General township, \$1200.

David W. Steiner to George B. Bo-

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That Was Never Paid.

Village of Cairo is Still Tied up in
the Courts, a new Claim Being
Filed Yesterday After-
noon.

The evidence in the case of Wm. Clark and others vs. Charles S. King, and others was submitted to the jury by three o'clock this afternoon, at which hour the argument began. The action is one in which Clark sued for an interest in a lottery ticket which drew \$3750, and it came into court in 1898, since which time it has twice been heard.

Foreclosure of Mortgage.
Fred F. Oen, who holds three promissory notes for \$433.33 each against Marion Proctor, has brought an action for the foreclosure of the mortgage given as security. The property consists of 40 acres of land in Bell towership.

Adjudged Insane.
Judge Miller found Kate Greenwood insane, but owing to her advanced age, she could not be received at the Toledo asylum, and was sent to the Barbizon sanitarium near Detroit.

Heads Not Garters.
To the charge of murder in the second degree, John O'Brien, better known as "Red" entered a plea of "not guilty" yesterday when arraigned before Judge Cunningham, and his case was set for trial December second, being the last on the criminal docket for the term. Motter, MacKenzie & Weadock will defend the prisoner.

Couldn't Agree.
The Gingery damage suit against the Hinde-Daens paper company, of Delphos fell into the hands of a jury that could not agree and at nine o'clock last night the court concluded that a longer session would not bring about a result other than disagreement.

Injunction Suit.
Howard Long vs. S. W. and Clara Downing, is the style of an injunction suit filed yesterday, the parties residing at Lafayette. Plaintiff claims to have taken a lease on a livery barn for which he was to pay \$7 per month, the lease being for one year with the privilege of five more. The lease, it appears will not stand a legal test and the plaintiff wants the defendant enjoined from transferring the lease to others as is now threatened.

The Streets of Cairo.
The animosity arising among factions at West Cairo bids fair to keep the municipal affairs of the village in court for an indefinite period. A. J. Ferguson, whose property is being condemned for the purpose of building an alley, has his batched out and seeks to prevent the mayor and council of the village from building the town hall for which the foundation has long been laid.

In two injunction suits filed yesterday by D. C. Henderson, Ferguson asks that the mayor and treasurer be enjoined from paying to Joseph Richards \$250 for furnishing material and constructing the foundation and to W. J. Garner the sum of \$1500 for building the first story. A temporary injunction was granted, which will prevent a further move toward building the hall until the case is heard on its merits.

Final Report.
James J. Weadock, assessor of Gen. T. Hammon, filed his final account in probate court today, showing a distribution of \$2083.47 to the creditors. The estate paid about 23 cents on the dollar.

Marriage Licenses.
Albert W. Stock, 26, telegraph operator and Jennie May Margaret, 24, both of Lima.

Real Estate Transfers.

Morrison Palmer to James D. Palmer, 40 acres in south township, \$2200.

Robert M. Fair to Wm. H. Higbee, 34 acres in German Township, \$1000.

David W. Neuber to George S. Ba-

uer, 1000 acres, \$1000.

John C. Johnson to John C. Johnson, 75 acres in Marion township, \$10.

Abel L. Brumley to John C. Johnson, 100 and 105 acres of land in Marion, \$2400.

Henry Hobbs to Michael Beach, 100 acres 4400 ft. Bluffton, \$2000.

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